

Ad Hoc Committee Report in re Livescan/Background investigation

“All volunteers, agents, and/or others working on behalf of NPGA be required to submit a recent Livescan to the Business Manager on a biannual basis.”

The agenda item above was submitted to the January 2019 board meeting. After discussion it was referred to an ad hoc committee for further investigation. Committee members were:

Denise Fraser and Tracy Carter (co-chairs), Matt Burton, Darren Watkins, Lisa Bragg, Doug Bragg, and Carrie Vezina.

The committee had several discussions via telephone, email, and texting. The members decided formal background checks were not feasible due to cost. We also discussed how to handle the member's private data. The group agreed that asking for individuals to sign a statement declaring that they are fit to serve as agents of NPGA would be the best approach. We are attaching a draft of such a letter for Board review.

Denise Fraser, co-chair